

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
WESTERN DIVISION
Case No. 5:24-cv-565-FL**

**ABC PHONES OF NORTH
CAROLINA, INC. D/B/A VICTRA,**

Plaintiff,

v.

**STRAX AMERICAS, INC.,
MATTER BRANDS LLC,**

Defendants.

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE, that John R. Gardner of K&L Gates LLP, hereby enters his appearance in this action as counsel for Plaintiff ABC Phones of North Carolina, Inc. d/b/a Victra and requests that all pleadings and papers in this action be served upon the undersigned.

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